

April 11, 2001

**H 1085. PROBATION REVOCATION TO CT. OF APPEALS. TO ELIMINATE DE NOVO APPEALS TO THE SUPERIOR COURT FROM A DISTRICT COURT JUDGE'S REVOCATION OF PROBATION OR IMPOSITION OF SPECIAL PROBATION.** Amends GS 15A-1347 as title indicates. Provides that appeals go directly to the Court of Appeals. Effective Dec. 1, 2001, and applies to offenses committed on or after that date.

**Intro. by Hackney.**

Ref. to Judiciary I	GS 15A
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**H 1085. PROBATION REVOCATION TO CT. OF APPEALS.** Intro. 4/11/01. House amendment makes the following changes to 1st edition. Original bill eliminated de novo appeals to the superior court from a district court's revocation of probation or imposition of special probation and provided that such appeals would go directly to the Court of Appeals. Amendment restores de novo appeals to superior court when district court imposes special probation or activates a sentence of more than six months, and provides for direct appeal to the Court of Appeals only when the district court activates a sentence of six months or less.